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## **Flood Update From WVDHSEM 06/25/16**

CHARLESTON, W.Va. – According to WV Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management Director Jimmy Gianato these are the latest important facts and figures on the floods that have hit WV:

- The number of fatalities remains at 23 (twenty-three)
    - 15 in Greenbrier County
    - 6 in Kanawha County
    - 1 in Ohio County
    - 1 in Jackson County
  - 32,170 are currently without power.
  - FEMA teams are expected to arrive today and begin damage assessments.
  - Over 60 secondary roads remain closed. US 60 and US 119 are closed in multiple locations.
  - Roane County estimates up to 50 homes severely damaged or destroyed.
  - Kanawha County is sheltering 81 displaced people at Capitol High School.
  - The Clay/Roane water plant is still flooded, water has been requested to be brought in for residents.
  - Volunteer WV has set up a link for all volunteers to register if they want to help:  
[www.volunteerwv.org](http://www.volunteerwv.org).
  - All volunteers that have officially been registered through VolunteerWV will be wearing identifiable wristbands.
  - Nicholas County trying to get power restored and cleaning up roads and have set up feeding stations in Richwood and Burch River.
- WV National Guard
- Deployed to 3 operational areas (Greenbrier, Nicholas and Kanawha counties), covering eight counties, and possible future operational areas in 5 other counties.

-Search and rescue teams are still out assessing areas for evacuees and those in need.

For up-to-the-minute information log on to the WVDHSEM Twitter page @WVDHSEM and the WVDHSEM Facebook page as well as Governor Tomblin's Twitter page.

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